RESTORATION OF KADAPPANAKERE TANK IN DODDETHINAHALLI VILLAGE OF HONNALI TALUK.

*Q.—444. Sri D. T. SEETHARAMA RAO (Bhadravathi).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether the Kadappanakere tank in the atchkat of which the lands of Doddethinahalli village, Honnali taluk, are situated has been restored;

(*b*) the items of the work of the restoration and the amount spent;

(*c*) the extent of the tank-bed and the names of the villages in the limits or which the tank-bed included;

(*d*) the name of the village to the residents of which it is proposed to grant the land on Darkhast without consulting the Public Works Department and without the knowledge of the atchkatdars;

(*e*) whether the consent of the villagers of Doddethinahally who are the achkatdars has been obtained as per darkhast rules;

(*f*) whether it is not a fact that petitions have been sent to the Tahsildar of Honnali and the Deputy Commissioner of the District praying that the tank-bed should not be granted in darkhast in view of the fact that the tank has been restored and that the interests of the land holders below the tank would suffer;

(*g*) if so, the steps taken in the matter?

*A.—Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Does not arise in view of reply to clause (*a*) above.

(*c*) 32 acres, and the tank comes in the limits of Doddethinahally village.

(*d*) to (*g*) No such grants have actually been ordered by Government. Stay orders prohibiting cultivation of the land pending investigation have been issued and given effect to.

SCHEMES FOR THE WELFARE OF SWEEPERS AND SCAVENGERS WORKING IN PANCHAYAT BOARDS, MUNICIPALITIES AND CORPORATIONS IN THE STATE.

*Q.—455. Sri MANJAPPA ULLAL (Karkal).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of sweepers and scavengers in the Panchayat Boards, Municipalities and Corporations under their control; the number of hours of work per day prescribed for them under the Rules and facilities afforded to them;